

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

In a retransmission control method for a
multicast information distribution service, when
information which requires retransmission is
5 generated, a wireless terminal transmits the
retransmission request for the information to an
information distribution apparatus when a timing
determined for the wireless terminal is reached.
The information distribution apparatus which
10 receives the retransmission request transmits
retransmission information which indicates the
information requested by the retransmission request,
with respect to each of the wireless terminals
within the service area, and retransmits the
15 information requested by the retransmission request
at a predetermined timing.

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